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On Thursday, July 10, the City of Norman Traffic Control Division, Midstate Traffic Control, Inc., and Direct Traffic Control, Inc., will be working at the State Highway 9 and 12th Avenue SE intersection. The work to be done involves modification to two northbound traffic signal heads, one southbound traffic signal head, and some changes to the signal wiring. In addition, the northbound approach of 12th Avenue SE to State Highway 9 will be restriped. This work is necessary to support some of the recent development that has occurred along 12th Avenue SE between State Highway 9 and Cedar Lane Road. These changes should alleviate some congestion between now and when the 12th Avenue SE bond project will rebuild this intersection as part of the widening of 12th Avenue SE. The result will be that northbound and southbound approaches of 12th Avenue SE will receive green indications separate from each other. Traffic control will be provided by Midstate Traffic Control, Inc., to guide motorists safely through this work zone. The work will take place on Thursday, July 10, 2014, weather permitting. After 9:00 a.m. on July 10th, the intersection may be temporarily controlled by an all-way STOP sign. Full signal operation should be restored at the intersection by 3:00 p.m. on the same day.

Any questions about the project can be directed to Mr. David Riesland, City Traffic Engineer, at 405-329-0528 or David.Riesland@NormanOK.gov.

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